

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An electronic mail system that is used to send electronic mail with an attached file reliably regardless of the status of mail servers on a transmission path. In this electronic mail system, if an attached file is added to electronic mail sent from a mail client, being a sender, an attached file separating section separates the attached file from the electronic mail. An attached file transferring section transfers the attached file separated from the electronic mail by the attached file separating section to an FTP server. A store location information adding section adds store location information indicating a location where the attached file transferred by the attached file transferring section is stored to the electronic mail. The electronic mail to which the store location information has been added is sent to a receiver mail server. A mail client can refer to the received mail by accessing the mail server and download the attached file from the FTP server by referring to the store location information added to the mail.